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DR. J. F. KUSTRUP, 1418 SOUTH BROAD STREET, TRENTON,
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OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING OF THE GOVERNMENT OF
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"DEAR JOHNNY:

AFTER ATTENDING THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY IN GENEVA, MY
FRIEND, MR. GIAN PRAKASH, SECRETARY OF THE MINISTRY OF
HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, PLANS
TO SPEND THE FIRST TWO WEEKS OF JUNE WITH HIS SON, DR. RISHI
PRAKASH, A4, 76 SAN HICAN DRIVE, TRENTON, NEW JERSEY,
TELEPHONE 393-1422. HE ALSO WILL CONSULT WITH THE U. S.
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE IN WASHINGTON.

"ALTHOUGH SECRETARY PRAKASH IS NOT A MEDICAL MAN, HE IS
THE HIGHEST CIVIL SERVANT IN HIS MINISTRY, AND A FRIENDLY,
WELL-INFORMED, AND INFLUENTIAL FIGURE IN INDIAN HEALTH
AFFAIRS. IT OCCURRED TO ME THAT YOU TWO WOULD ENJOY
MEETING, AND THAT YOUR WEALTH OF BACKGROUND, INCLUDING
YOUR TENURE AS PRESIDENT OF THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION OF
NEW JERSEY, WOULD BE OF DISTINCT INTEREST TO PRAKASH.

"WITH HIGHEST REGARDS, AS EVER,

BILL."

W. W. WILLIAMS

COUNSELOR OF EMBASSY FOR

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